

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant(s): Itzhak Bentwich

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Title: BIOINFORMATIALLY
DETECTABLE GROUP OF NOVEL
VIRAL REGULATORY GENES AND
USES THEREOF

REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

Dear Sir:

In response to the non-final office action mailed April 20, 2009 (the "Office Action"), please consider the remarks below in accordance with the Rules of Practice. Submitted herewith is a terminal disclaimer in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.321(c) and the \$140.00 fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.321(b)(4). No other fees are believed to be due in connection with the filing of this paper, however, should any fees be deemed necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any fees from Deposit Account No. 50-1662 referencing the above docket number.

Remarks begin at page 2.